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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 29, 2005, Applicant presents the following response.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's Representatives at the below listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this Response or if prosecution of this application may be assisted thereby.